

SANDUST DRILL TRAINS BOSSES IN SNOW REMOVAL

Several Carloads in Street
Used to Teach Efficiency
in Work.

NO FORCE IS WASTED

Men Drilled With Idea of
Clearing Away Snow Fast
as It Falls.

Several carloads of sawdust were dumped in the middle of Kenmare Street to-day and then spread about until it covered nearly a block. While this was going on a gang of twenty street cleaners were getting ready with shovels and brooms. "Boys, use your imagination," said a foreman. "What you see before you is dummy snow. That spot up the street is a sewer. Get me?" "We got you, boss," from the twenty prize men.

"Now, the idea is this," elaborated the foreman. "You have to use constructive methods and attack this sawdust, I mean snow, in an efficient and economical manner. Do you get me?"

"We got you boss!"

"Remember, that in attacking the snow before you, it must be your aim to exert no more energy than is absolutely necessary. Don't fatigue yourselves. But be efficient."

"We promise you that, boss."

"It is our aim to remove the snow as fast as it falls. Get me?"

"Rather, boss."

"Those of you who have brooms, remember that a gentle pressure, not too hard, but sufficient to efficiently remove the snow from between cobblestones, is needed."

"Right you are, boss."

"I have but one regret about this experiment."

"And that, boss?"

"Is that we can't have this imitation snow precipitated from above to the pavement."

"Boss, why not hire some aeroplanes and drop it down?"

"Hey you cut out the comedy. This is a serious matter. Any more suggestions?"

"Silence."

"Then get to work and clean up that sawdust. The eyes of the city are on us. You men are to be the instructors of the army that is to fight the snow. If you don't make good our army will be more laughed at than Coney."

The sawdust was attacked along engineering lines with alacrity and efficiency. It soon disappeared and the men went home, mentally tired. Kenmare Street was so named in honor of the town "Big Tim" Sullivan's mother was born in. An old resident remarked that the sawdust demonstration must have caused the "big fellow" to turn in his grave.

TREATED LIKE A LADY.
(From the Philadelphia Evening Ledger.)
Little Miss Nine-Year-Old went to the theatre with her father. They had the best of seats and a box of candy. Her father treated her as a grown-up. The next opera was drawing to a close. "Father," said the miss, "don't you think I'm getting old enough to be taken to supper after the show?" And it cost father \$1 to make good his promise to treat her like a real lady.

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DANIEL F. MCORT DIES.

Was a Figure in Politics in the Bronx Many Years.

Daniel F. McCort, a former close friend of Richard Croker and later of Charles F. Murphy, and for the last thirty-five years a sewer inspector in the Bronx, where he figured much in Tammany politics, died yesterday at his home, No. 1448 Madison Avenue, after an illness of nine months.

Mr. McCort was sixty-two years old and was a member of the Tammany General Committee, the North End Democratic Club and the Arthur Murphy Association. He leaves a widow, son and daughter. Funeral services will be held to-morrow morning in the Church of Our Lady of Mercy.

SARTORIAL SAMBROS.
(From the Birmingham Age-Herald.)
"Washington isn't so picturesque as it used to be."

"Why not, pray?"

"Statesmen have modified their dress to such an extent that they now look much like other people."

THE KNOWLEDGE SEEKER.
(From the Baltimore Star.)

Little Patrick's paternal parent was busy suspending pictures on the plaster walls of the best parlor. Pat watched his father with silent admiration as nail after nail was successfully hammered into position.

Then the inevitable happened. Patrick's father's thumb made a dent in the plaster, and was, for a brief second, hidden entirely from view by the head of the hefty hammer. The flow of eloquence that poured from the father's mouth was a revelation to the watchful lad. With a gentle sigh he stole softly from the room and went out for a stroll.

He had not gone far when he happened on the vicar diligently hammering nails into the rectory fence.

Patrick immediately became absorbed in the good man's labors.

"You seem interested, my little man. Are you fond of carpentering?" asked the clergyman.

"No," answered Patrick shortly. "Then why do you stand there watching me at work?"

"Cause I want to see what a parson says when he swipes his thumb!" answered Patrick, who was the soul of truth.

ADMIRAL MAHAN BURIED.

Only Family and Close Friends at Funeral in Queens.

Burial services for Admiral Alfred T. Mahan were held at Queens, L. I., at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Samuel Fish of St. John's Episcopal Church, Bridgehampton, officiating. The interment was in the family plot in the village cemetery.

Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. The pallbearers were Erasmus F. Post, Abram R. Post, Clarence M. Carman, Asher B. Hallock, Holden Hallock and Justice Marcus E. Griffin.

PROGRESS REPORTED.
(From the Washington Star.)

"Have you learned that new dance?"

"Well," replied Uncle Flopsie, "I haven't quite learned it, but I'm getting on. I don't feel exactly graceful as yet, but I've got over being afraid that I'll fall down."

RUSSEANS LIKE "PARADISE LOST."

How many English soldiers, one wonders, have read "Paradise Lost?"

Mr. Maurice Haring, when in Russia, found that nearly every soldier he met knew it well. "When two years ago a schoolmaster in the Tashkent Government told me that 'Paradise Lost' was the most popular book in the village library," he writes, "I was astonished, and thought it an isolated instance. At a fair in Moscow during the week of the 15th of June, I noticed that there were five or six different editions of translations of Milton's poem, with illustrations, ranging in price from 12 roubles to 30 kopeks.

And while I was looking at one of them a mouthful came up to me and advised me to buy it. 'It's very interesting,' he said. 'It makes one laugh and cry.' 'It is possible to purchase 'Paradise Lost' at almost every village booth.'"

PAPA'S IDEA.
(From the Boston Transcript.)

He—You know, dearest, that you are all the world to me.

The Heiress—Papa says you evidently think the world owes you a living.

POLO PLAYER WEDS.

A. Robbins of Brooklyn Marries Miss Chatman, Boston Heiress.

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—With only their most intimate relatives present, Miss Lillian Ames Chatman, the nineteen-year-old heiress of ex-Gov. Ames, and Clarence A. (Tod) Robbins of Brooklyn, polo player, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chatman, No. 1120 Beacon Street, at noon yesterday.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William L. Chaffin, pastor of the Unity Church of North Easton. The couple were unattended. After an extended honeymoon they will make their home in Brooklyn.

Robbins obtained a divorce a few weeks ago from Edith Norman Hyde, whom he married when she was sixteen. He eloped with her in 1909 while he was a student at Williams College.

THE UNKID CRITIC.
(From the Washington Star.)
"I wonder how our friend Mr. Keeslap thinks of so many things to write about?"

"That question never occurred to me," replied Miss Cayenne. "I have wondered how he could write so much without thinking about anything."

Don't Poison Baby.

FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum or opium.

Drugs are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the name of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrup," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician knowing what it is composed of. GASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*.

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Of full furred skins, nicely matched; all with full sweep skirt; wool lined, with Venetian lined yoke and sleeves.

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Macy's Usual Price, \$54.75

Made of large, full furred natural skins, well matched; full sweep skirt; wool lined. An Auto Coat of distinction.

Wildcat COATS \$19.75
Macy's Usual Price, \$29.75

Uncommon in appearance and noted for their wearing qualities. Warm, roomy cut coats suitable for owner or chauffeur.

Russian Calf COATS \$19.75
Macy's Usual Price, \$24.75

Big, roomy great - coat model; wide shawl collar; full sweep skirt.

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HANDKERCHIEFS**

Handkerchiefs in almost endless variety, suitable for Christmas Gifts for men, are displayed on the Main Floor, 34th Street side.

Men's Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs (ea.) 29c
Standard Price 50c

Also colored borders without initials.

Men's White Silk Handkerchiefs (ea.) 39c
Standard Price 50c

Good, durable quality; different width hems.

Men's Extra Large Size Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs (ea.) 19c
Elsewhere 25c

Good quality; 3/4 and 1/2 inch hems.

Hand-embroidered Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs (each) 89c
Inferior Quality Sold Elsewhere at 95c

Extra fine and heavy quality. Beautiful, novel hand embroidered initial. 3/4-inch hems.

Attractive Holly Boxes on Request.
MAIN FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

**Useful Holiday Gifts
WORK BENCHES \$14.89**

Of course the boys at home will welcome a present of this kind, but the head of the house himself will feel a thrill of satisfaction over such a Gift. Our Work Benches are made of selected maple, fitted with rapid friction vises and steel top dog. They are the finest line of Benches on the market.

Our Special

At the price quoted has a 48-inch top, reinforced by tongue and groove end bolsters. The tool recess is grooved on all four sides. Frames heavily mortised and tenoned joints, reinforced with draw bolts. Five dovetailed drawers with 3-ply bottoms.

48-in. top, with three drawers, \$11.89

42-in. top, with one drawer, \$8.63

42-in. top, without drawer, \$7.47

TOOL CABINETS, fitted with excellent tools—As low as \$4.98—As high as \$44.49

HANDY HOUSEHOLD OUTFITS—As low as \$4.98—As high as \$4.88

POCKET KITS, in leather cases—As low as \$1.67—As high as \$2.97

FRYER SAWS, foot power, 33 in. to 37 in. high, with blades, patterns, etc.—As low as \$3.98—As high as \$7.34

BACCHUS, 30TH ST.

MEN'S Winter OVERCOATS

That Stand Absolutely Alone for Smart Style, Quality and Price

\$19.75

The season's latest and smartest models are included in this important Sale of fine Overcoats:—

Double-breasted and single-breasted Chesterfields, semi-form fitting and with velvet collars.

London Box Coats in button-through effect.

Raglan and Kimono Sleeve Models in extremely snappy styles.

Modified Balmacaans.

Some with convertible collars buttoning snugly to the throat. Lengths 44 to 50 inches. Lined with silk yoke and sleeves.

The fabrics are those this season most popular—including: Meltons—Kerseys—Scotch Cheviots—Fancy Mixed Casimeres—"Crombies"—Chinchillas—

"Warmth without weight" Coatings—in most popular colors.

Strictly Hand-Tailored Garments

**Important Sale of
Silk-lined "Chesterfield"
OVERCOATS, \$18.75**

Standard Price \$25.00.

Dress Overcoats in Oxford and black vicuna, soft in finish and of superior quality, that will give excellent wear. Single-breasted models with collar of silk velvet and lining of durable silk. Length 44 inches, and cut on the flaring lines now so fashionable.

Young Men's Overcoats Specially Priced \$14.75

New models that at the price cannot be matched for quality and style. In smart Winter weight materials and wanted colors. Many nobby double-breasted Overcoats which are so popular this season.

Cigars, Cigarettes, Pipes, Tobaccos and Smokers' Articles, in complete assortment—at the 35th Street Entrance to the Men's Shop. "Just a step from Broadway."

A Sale of Men's HIGH-GRADE SHIRTS

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10,800 Shirts, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50 Qualities

These garments are the product of one of Philadelphia's most prominent makers of Men's High-Grade Shirts, and each one bears his name and quality label. Similar shirts are selling now at high-class haberdashers' shops around town up to \$3.00.

Materials are of the finest Imported and Domestic Fabrics, woven Madras, Printed Madras, Fine Prints and Jacquard weaves, in the smartest stripe designs of the season. Models are pleated and plain negligees, laundered cuffs and soft cuffs.

All sizes, 13 1/4 to 18.

ON SALE FRIDAY and SATURDAY.

10,800 Shirts in a variety of styles, materials and colorings to suit the taste of every man, and at a price that will permit buying in half-dozen or dozen lots.

MEN'S SHOP, MAIN FLOOR, 34TH ST.

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SPECIAL TOYS OF INTEREST

Mechanical Creeping Babies

Dressed in little checked rompers, this tiny baby creeps across the room by the simple persuasion of a key. Six inches high; unbreakable head; painted hair.

Price, \$1.24

Mechanical Mewing Cats

Your choice of either a black or white Cat that constantly mews as it goes from room to room, but has never been known to scratch any of its little friends.

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In gray. Also men's cape walking Gloves, made of imported leather. These two styles have Milanese silk lining and one clasp. Exceptional at the price.

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Last Day of the 1/2 Price Sale of Oil Paintings.

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BAGS and SUIT CASES at Important Savings

Practical Holiday Gifts

Fitted Bags, \$14.89
Macy's Usual Price, \$17.89

For men and women. Made of smooth black and long grain cowhide; sewed-in frame. Men's Bags are 18 inch size and have eight fittings of nickel or ebony. Women's Bags are 16 inch size, blue silk lined, and have nine white fittings on a removable timousine case.

Real Walrus Bags, \$5.94
Macy's Usual Price, \$7.49

Solid brass, gilt trimmings; strong handle; leather lined; full length pockets; sizes 14, 16 and 18 inches.

Oxford Cowhide Bags, \$7.49
Macy's Usual Price, \$8.94

Made of good grade cowhide; sewed-in frame; inside has two pockets, lined in plaid and leather; sizes 16 and 18 inches. Colors, russet, brown and black.

Cowhide Suit Cases, \$4.96
Macy's Usual Price, \$5.94

Good quality; reinforced corners; two straps all around; inside shirt fold; neatly lined; sizes 24 and 26 inches.

A Special Purchase of 50 BAGS

For Men and Women. Sale Price, \$4.96

Under ordinary conditions Macy's Price would be \$7.14

Made of Walrus Grain Leather, full length pocket; leather lined; sewed-in English frame. Sizes 16, 17 and 18 inches.

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